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In re Application of: Richardson
Application No.: 09/830,727
Filed: April 30, 2001

A METHOD OF RECORDING THE TEMPERATURE OF PERISHABLE PRODUCTS IN COLD CHAIN DISTRIBUTION

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231**

Sir

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).

Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

No additional claim fee is required.

Other: Associate Power of Attorney

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDT. CLAIM FEE	
TOTAL	24	MINUS	26	=0	x 9=	\$	
INDEPENDENT	3	MINUS	3	=0	x 42=	\$	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM			+ 140=	\$	+ 280=	\$
				TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$110.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

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Respectfully submitted,

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